

## A PROMINENT VISITOR.

Rev. W. Moseley, Missionary Superintendent, Spent Two Days Here.

After a couple of days spent in this city with his friend, A. O. Steenburg, Rev. W. Moseley, superintendent of the Baptist missionary work in the island of Cuba, has gone on his way to New York.

Dr. Moseley is an eloquent speaker and a hard worker for the cause in which he is engaged. He has accomplished a great deal in recent years, since the island of Cuba has been made a republic, and is regarded highly by the Cubans.

Dr. Moseley is on his annual vacation, after a hard year's work in Cuba. He states that Americans may think it peculiar that he takes his vacation at this season of the year, leaving the balmy climate of Cuba to seek the chilly and piercing winds of the North, but it is easily understood when it is known that he is himself an American, accustomed to this climate, and desires to come when he can secure the exhilarating atmosphere here.

Dr. Moseley states that the missionary work is progressing nicely in Cuba, and that Americans are to be congratulated upon the religious and educational advancement of the people. They are becoming more enlightened, religiously, educationally and commercially, every day, and they give the people of the United States the credit for their advancements.

## BLANDING IS CAPTAIN.

Promoted to be Commander of the Guards from First Lieutenant.

It is now Captain J. W. Blanding, and not Lieutenant Blanding, as the men have always known him.

Lieutenant Blanding, by virtue of the fact that Captain O. R. Layton, who has commanded the Gainesville Guards ever since the Guards were organized, had resigned on account of a promotion, has been elected captain of that company to succeed Captain Layton.

Captain Blanding is one of the most efficient and popular military officers in the State Troops, and his election will prove of the greatest satisfaction to everyone.

Captain Layton has been appointed to be inspector-general, with the rank of major, and the commission will be received in a few days. It is a high position, and Major Layton's friends extend congratulations.

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## A QUIET WEDDING.

## Two Prominent Young People Were Joined in Matrimony.

There was a quiet wedding at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Garrett, West Court street, about 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, when Mr. C. F. Goodman and Miss Omera McCook, the charming daughter of Mrs. W. P. Garrett, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony, Rev. T. J. Nixon officiating.

The contracting parties are among the most popular of the city, but their marriage was a surprise to a great many of their friends. It was known that they were socially on the best of terms, Mr. Goodman being a roomer at the home of Mrs. Garrett, but the announcement of a marriage between them had the effect of a delightful surprise.

While the marriage had not been generally announced, the business associates of Mr. Goodman, employee of the Dutton Phosphate Company, had in some manner been apprised of the fact and date, and surprised the groom with a handsome solid silver service of about fifteen pieces.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodman will continue to reside with the bride's mother. They have the best wishes of all friends.

## HONOR TO CAPT. LYNCH.

Was Presented With Elegant Gold Watch by Students Jasper Normal.

Prof. George M. Lynch, for nine years assistant commandant and professor of mathematics in the East Florida Seminary, but now principal of the Jasper Normal Institute, has been honored, and as a remembrance he will carry for many years a handsome gold watch as a token of the season just closed.

Prof. Lynch was a success at East Florida Seminary, and he will be a success at whatever he undertakes as an educator, for he has the ability.

Captain Lynch, in his usual appropriate manner, thanked the young ladies and young gentlemen of the Normal for their remembrance, when those present were deeply impressed with the ceremonies.

## Duke-Smith.

B. B. Duke and Miss Clara Smith, two prominent young people of the West End who make their home near Trenton, were married at the home of Mrs. Everett, East Gainesville, by Rev. T. J. Nixon of the Methodist church, Wednesday night. These young people have many friends here who extend congratulations and wish them all the happiness that belongs to married life.

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## THE NEWS FROM MELROSE.

## Christmas Tree Much Enjoyed—New Arrivals—Personal Notes.

Melrose, Dec. 24.—The Christmas tree at the Melrose school house, on the afternoon of Dec. 21, will be long remembered by all who were present as a most enjoyable affair. The large room was filled to overflowing with the children and their parents and friends, all gazing with pleasant anticipations at the pretty decorated stage and the large Xmas tree full of all manner of good things. The ceremonies began with a song by the children, followed by a short address by Rev. Julian. Next came recitations by Wealthy Yearwood, Marion Whitney, Gordon Baker, Mamie Goodson, Celia Baldwin and Marion Yearwood, alternating with a piano solo by Norah Mullin, a cradle song by six little girls, a trio by Ralph, Marie and Leujila Games and a piano solo by Mrs. Games. All were much applauded. Next in order was an address by the supervisor, C. P. Hoffman, who at the close announced the arrival of Santa Claus to distribute the presents, and great was the joy and laughter when not only Santa Claus appeared, but it was seen that he had brought his wife along. Both were very cleverly represented by Frank Yearwood and Major McMillan. The scholars had not forgotten their teachers and presented Miss J. Anderson with a handsome set of comb and brush, a fruit-stand of iridescent glass and other pretty things, while the younger children presented to Miss M. Anderson a very pretty box containing comb, brush and manicure set. The new piano was much admired and its music helped much in the rendering of the program.

Right Rev. E. G. Weed, Bishop of Florida, will hold services in Trinity Church on January 13th.

Newly arrived in town are Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Remmel and two maids, and Mr. L. E. Wills, all of Mauch Chunk, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Keeler, Cheshire, Conn.; Mrs. F. Merriam, Atlanta, Ga.

Dr. Frank McRae was telegraphed for from McRae, Ga., and left Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Storrs of Macon, Ga., were in town for a few days only, much to the regret of their many friends, but the duties of Mr. Storrs as United States Assistant District Attorney did not permit a longer stay.

C. Loudermilk left for Demorest, Ga., his home, to spend the holidays.

Prof. W. O. Geiger, county supervisor of schools for Clay county, visited the school on the 19th, and expressed himself much pleased with his visit.

The following are the new officers of Melrose Lodge 89, F. & A. M.: W. M., W. E. Baker; S. W., O. C. Husband; J. W., E. J. Whitehead; Treasurer, C. P. Hoffman; Secretary, J. M. Price; S. Deacon, W. H. Lee; Jr. Deacon, Frank McRae; Tyler, J. A. Grimes. The lodge is preparing for a removal to new quarters. Their old hall will be occupied by the lodge of the W. O. W.

During the cold snap of the past two days, the lowest temperature was on Sunday morning—33 degrees—and on Monday morning 27 degrees.

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